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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a), filed February 3, 2003 (certificate of mailing Monday, January 27, 2003), to revive the above-identified application.

This application became abandoned for failure to reply timely to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed on March 8, 2001. The Notice set a two-month extendable period to submit substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84. No extensions of time were obtained pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on May 9, 2001. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on August 26, 2002.

Upon further review of the circumstances as set forth in the renewed petition, the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a) is **granted**.

The file is being returned to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing of the application.

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